



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

**COMBINED STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(B)-ESTABLISHING RIGHT OF ASSIGNEE TO
TAKE ACTION**

AND

POWER OF ATTORNEY BY ASSIGNEE OF ENTIRE INTEREST AND REVOCATION OF PRIOR POWERS

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Statement Under 37 CFR §3.73(b):

Sun Microsystems, Inc., a corporation organized under the laws of Delaware states that it is the assignee of entire right, title, and interest; in the patent(s) and/or patent application(s) listed on the attached APPENDIX A, by virtue of an Assignment from the inventor(s) of each of the patent(s) and/or patent application(s) listed on the attached APPENDIX A. Date of recordal, and Reel and Frame number of recordal by the United States Patent & Trademark Office identified on the attached APPENDIX A.

Power of Attorney by Assignee of Entire Interest and Revocation of Prior Powers:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.36, Sun Microsystems, Inc., the record owner (per Statement Under 37 CFR §3.73(b) above) of the patent(s) and/or patent application(s) listed on the attached APPENDIX A, revokes all previous powers of attorney in the patent(s) and/or patent application(s) listed on the attached APPENDIX A and hereby appoints the following attorneys and/or agents assigned to the below Customer Number to prosecute the patent(s) and/or patent application(s) listed on the attached APPENDIX A and transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

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The undersigned is empowered to sign on behalf of Sun Microsystems, Inc. in accordance with the attached Delegation of Authority (APPENDIX B)

The undersigned hereby declares that all statements made herein of the undersigned's own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements, and the like so made, are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001, Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the patents and patent applications listed on the attached APPENDIX A or any patents issuing thereon.

Marilyn E. Glaubensklee 12/3/02
(Signature of authorized person) (date)

Marilyn E. Glaubensklee, Esq.
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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the patent application of)
Edwin Earl FREED) Docket No. SUNMP505
)
Application No: 09/955,964) Group Art Unit: 2152
)
Filing Date: September 20, 2001) Examiner: Unassigned
)
For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PREVENTING) Date: February 23, 2004
UNNECESSARY MESSAGE DUPLICATION IN)
ELECTRONIC MAIL)

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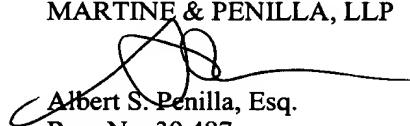
Applicant hereby attaches a Combined Statement Under 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b)-Establishing Right of Assignee to Take Action and Power of Attorney by Assignee of Entire Interest and Revocation of Prior Powers, and Appendix A, with reference to the above-identified U.S. patent application. Applicant respectfully requests this document be made of record.

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APPENDIX A

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Application No. 09/955,964

Assignee: **Sun Microsystems, Inc.**

Title: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PREVENTING
UNNECESSARY MESSAGE DUPLICATION IN
ELECTRONIC MAIL**

Recordation Date: September 20, 2001

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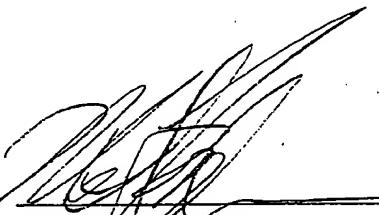


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I, Marc D. Foodman, Chief Patent Counsel, of Sun Microsystems Inc., (the "Company"), hereby appoint each of the following persons listed below as Attorney-in-Fact of the Company to execute and deliver in the name and on behalf of the Company, patent office documents, and to grant powers of attorney to patent attorneys and patent agents representing the Company in the patent offices and trademark offices throughout the world as required to facilitate filing, obtaining, renewing, maintaining, working, opposing and terminating patent applications and patent registrations on behalf of the Company, and to execute documents which effect the transfer of title or licenses of patents or trademark rights, so long as such transfers are between any of the Company and its subsidiaries. This Delegation of Signing Authority is effective as of May 19, 2003, and will continue in full force and effect while such persons are employees of the Company or until such time as I otherwise designate.

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